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Title: **MULTILINK ROUTING**

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Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby are notifying the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences that a Request for Continued Examination and an Amendment were filed for the above-identified patent application on December 9, 2005. Please withdraw this application from the appeal process.

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